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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Isao Kawashima, et al.
Serial No. : 09/841,957
Filed : April 25, 2001
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ACCESSING DATA USING A PLURALITY OF
INDEPENDENT POINTING DEVICES
Examiner : Pesin, Boris M.
Art Unit : 2174

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	10	Minus	** = 40	*0x	\$50 (25)	=\$0
Independent claims	4	Minus	*** = 19	*0x	\$200 (100)	=\$0
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$0

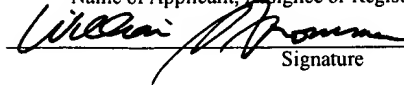
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** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360(180) has been previously paid ☐, or is paid herewith ☐.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the ___ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a ___ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ ___ is attached, which covers the cost of ☐ additional claims ☐ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$ ___ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
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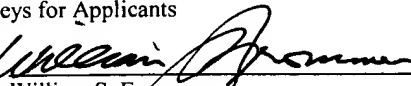
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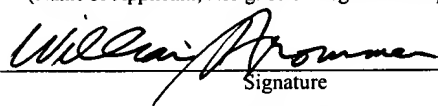
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop **Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 24, 2006, requiring the filing of the substitute specification that was inadvertently omitted from the amendment filed November 22, 2005.


Accompanying this paper are the following:

1. A clean copy of the substitute specification (document reference 00317518).

2. A marked-up version of the originally filed specification, showing the changes made to the original specification (document reference 00317058).

In light of the accompanying documents, taken with the amendment filed November 22, 2005, reconsideration and allowance of the above-identified application are respectfully solicited

Respectfully submitted,
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Encs. - Clean Copy of Substitute Specification
- Marked-up Version of Originally Filed Specification